REMARKS

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Decision on Appeal mailed on February 22, 2012.

Applicants cancel claims 1, 3 and 6-10 hereby, without prejudice or disclaimer of subject matter and, slightly amend indpendent claim 11 for formal reasons. Claims 11 and 12 are pending hereinafter.

Applicants respectfully assert that the application as amended including pending claims 11 and 12 is in condition for allowance. Action to this end is courteously solicited. However, should the Examiner have any further comments or suggestions, the undersigned would very much welcome a telephone call in order to discuss appropriate claim language that will place the application in condition for allowance.

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